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Amendments to the Claims:

A clean version of the entire set of pending claims, including amendments to the claims, is submitted herewith per 37 CFR 1.121(c)(3). This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of ~~enabling to configure~~ configuring a control device for enabling a user to select from among a plurality of sources that are available to supply content to an audio/video device, the method comprising:

establishing a communication connection between the control device and a remote server;

~~determining~~ communicating to the remote server an indication of the plurality of sources that are available ~~to the user for operational use of the~~ to supply content to the audio/video device;

~~determining~~ receiving at the control device from the remote server respective representations of respective ones of the sources for being rendered at a user interface of the control device; and

~~providing means for~~ configuring the control device so that user interaction with a specific one of the representations rendered at the user interface of the control device causes the control device to provide a command to the audio/video device to select a specific one of the sources associated with the specific representation.

2. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein:

~~the determining~~ communicating to the remote server an indication of the plurality of sources comprises ~~determining~~ communicating respective identifiers, ~~being~~ local to the user, of respective ones of the plurality of the sources; and

~~the means is operative to associate the respective representations with the respective identifiers~~ receiving at the control device from the remote server respective representations of respective ones of the sources comprises receiving control code

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that associates the respective representations of the respective sources with the
respective identifiers.

3. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 2, ~~wherein the means comprises~~
further comprising storing in the control device a look-up table of associations of the
respective local identifiers and the respective representations.

4. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 2, wherein:

the sources each comprise a broadcast channel having a channel number as
an associated one of the identifiers; and

a corresponding one of the representations associated with the channel
number comprises one of a logo [[or]] and a call sign of the broadcast channel.

5. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 2, wherein:

the sources each comprise a broadcast channel having a channel number as
an associated one of the identifiers; and

a corresponding one of the representations associated with the channel
number is indicative of semantics of the content broadcast on the broadcast channel.

6. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein ~~the determining~~
communicating to the remote server an indication of the plurality of sources that are
available to supply content to the audio/video device comprises ~~determining in which~~
communicating to the remote server an indication of a geographical area in which the
user resides.

7. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein ~~the determining~~
communicating to the remote server an indication of the plurality of sources that are
available to supply content to the audio/video device comprises ~~determining~~
communicating to the remote server an indication of a content service provider ~~of the
user~~ that provides the content to the audio/video device.

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8. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the corresponding one of the representations associated with the channel number comprises a video frame of the content currently being broadcast on the broadcast channel.

9. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the corresponding one of the representations associated with the channel number comprises a video frame of content to be broadcast in the future on the broadcast channel.

10. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the control device is a remote control device, wherein the user interface comprises a touchscreen of the remote control device, and wherein the user interaction with a specific one of the representations rendered at the user interface of the control device comprises a user touching a soft button on the touchscreen.

11. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein establishing a communication connection between the control device and the remote server comprises establishing a network connection directly between the control device and the remote server.

12. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein establishing a communication connection between the control device and the remote server comprises establishing a connection between the control device and a personal computer, and establishing a network connection between the personal computer and the remote server.

13. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein configuring the control device so that user interaction with a specific one of the representations rendered at the user interface of the control device causes the control device to provide a command to the audio/video device to select a specific one of the sources associated with the specific representation comprises installing control code in the control device that responds to a user selection of the specific representation by looking up in a database in the

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remote device a channel number corresponding to the specific representation and by launching a macro that causes the control device to send commands to the audio/video device corresponding to a sequence of digits that cause audio/video device to select the corresponding channel number.